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VIA ECF

Honorable Edgardo Ramos United States District Judge Southern District of New York Thurgood Marshall U.S. Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: C. Michael Martell v. Cohen Clair Lans Greifer Thorpe & Rottenstreich LLP, et al; Civil Action No. 1:18-CV-09692

Dear Judge Ramos:

We write on behalf of defendants Cohen Clair Lans Greifer Thorpe & Rottenstreich LLP, Robert Stephen Cohen and Shannon R. Simpson (together, "Defendants") in the above-referenced action to respectfully request oral argument in connection with Defendants' pending motion to dismiss (*see* Dkt. Nos. 13-16), pursuant to Section 2(D) of Your Honor's Individual Practices.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully,

/s/ Edward Flanders

Edward Flanders

cc: William S. Beslow (via CM/ECF)